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FOR HIGH THROUGHPUT CRYPTO-PROCESSING**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 24, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

A listing of claims is set forth on pages 2-3.

Remarks are set forth on page 4-9.

If extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to International Business Machines Corporation's deposit account no. 50-0563.